

PATENT



Docket No. 1232-4767

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Makoto MISAKA

Group Art Unit: 2872

Serial No.: 09/966,698

Examiner: Thong Q Nguyen

Filed: September 26, 2001

For: ZOOM LENS AND OPTICAL APPARATUS USING THE SAME

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. BOX 1450
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of October 8, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

RECEIVED
JAN 20 2004
TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800